

SENATE FIRST READERS

MONDAY, MARCH 06, 2017

TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

SB 268. By Senators Harbin of the 16th, Ligon, Jr. of the 3rd, Heath of the 31st, Williams of the 27th and Payne of the 54th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 20-3-519.2 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to eligibility requirements for a HOPE scholarship, so as to provide for revised eligibility requirements for incoming freshmen; to eliminate high school grade point average requirements for HOPE eligibility for incoming freshmen; to amend Code Section 20-2-157 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to uniform reporting system for certain purposes, so as to make conforming changes; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to Higher Education Committee.

SR 356. By Senators Jones of the 10th, Davenport of the 44th, Anderson of the 43rd, Jeffares of the 17th, Seay of the 34th and others:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Annette Hardge Edwards on her outstanding public service and being one of the first two African American women elected as a Henry County School Board Member; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 357. By Senator Tillery of the 19th:

A RESOLUTION commending the Vidalia High School Competitive Cheerleading Team for winning the 2016 GHSA Division AA State Championship; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 358. By Senators Tippins of the 37th, Millar of the 40th, Wilkinson of the 50th, Sims of the 12th, Brass of the 28th and others:

A RESOLUTION recognizing October 2-6, 2017, as Georgia Pre-K Week; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 359. By Senators Beach of the 21st, Mullis of the 53rd, Martin of the 9th and Gooch of the 51st:

A RESOLUTION recognizing March 16, 2017, as Council for Quality Growth Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 360. By Senators Beach of the 21st, Mullis of the 53rd, Martin of the 9th and Gooch of the 51st:

A RESOLUTION commending the Georgia Institute of Technology for the success of the Basic Economic Development Course on the occasion of the fiftieth annual course offering; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 361. By Senators Mullis of the 53rd, Cowsert of the 46th, Beach of the 21st, Shafer of the 48th, Hill of the 4th and others:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Joel Edward Harrell III on the grand occasion of his retirement; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 362. By Senators Millar of the 40th and Tippins of the 37th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing the Georgia Partnership for Excellence in Education and commending its 25 years of service to the people of this state; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 363. By Senators Shafer of the 48th, Wilkinson of the 50th, Mullis of the 53rd, Ligon, Jr. of the 3rd, Burke of the 11th and others:

A RESOLUTION recognizing Georgia's Top Youth Volunteers of 2017; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 364. By Senators Shafer of the 48th, Unterman of the 45th, Martin of the 9th, Millar of the 40th, Hill of the 4th and others:

A RESOLUTION honoring and recognizing Dr. Indran B. Indrakrishnan for his outstanding work; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 365. By Senators Miller of the 49th, Hufstetler of the 52nd, Kirk of the 13th, Walker III of the 20th, Millar of the 40th and others:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life and memory of Cory Joseph Wilson and commending his family's efforts to raise cardiac awareness; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 366. By Senators Martin of the 9th and Butler of the 55th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Jacob Oldknow on his outstanding achievements; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 367. By Senators Martin of the 9th and Henson of the 41st:

A RESOLUTION commending the Brookwood High School swim and dive program for its continued success; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 368. By Senator Sims of the 12th:

A RESOLUTION commending The Links, Incorporated, and recognizing March 7, 2017, as Links Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 369. By Senators Butler of the 55th, Henson of the 41st and Martin of the 9th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Army Veteran Jarrett Blankenship on his heroic actions of valor displayed during his military service; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 370. By Senators Harbison of the 15th, Anderson of the 43rd, Davenport of the 44th, Unterman of the 45th, Butler of the 55th and others:

A RESOLUTION commending Women in Defense (WID) Georgia Chapter and recognizing March 16, 2017, as Women in Defense Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 371. By Senator Harbison of the 15th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Bennie Newroth; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 372. By Senators Davenport of the 44th, Tate of the 38th, Butler of the 55th, Anderson of the 43rd, James of the 35th and others:

A RESOLUTION commending Helen D. Davenport on her outstanding public service and upon receiving the Nikki T. Randall Servant Leadership Award; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 373. By Senator Tate of the 38th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending R.R. Harris for her vital role as a community health advocate; and for other purposes

Read and Adopted.

SR 374. By Senator Tate of the 38th:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life and memory of Hiram A. (Joe) Little; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 375. By Senator Tate of the 38th:

A RESOLUTION commending Franklyn Harvey Geary and recognizing him on the occasion of his 90th birthday; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 376. By Senators Fort of the 39th, Orrock of the 36th and Tate of the 38th:

A RESOLUTION commending the Pittman Park 10 & Under football team for winning the 2016 Youth National 10 & Under Football Championship; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.

SR 377. By Senators Williams of the 27th, Shafer of the 48th, Ligon, Jr. of the 3rd, McKoon of the 29th, Harbin of the 16th and others:

A RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution so as to provide that the General Assembly may prescribe by general law for a refundable income tax credit for income received by law enforcement officers as compensation from this state, a county or municipality of this state, a state or political subdivision of a state, or the United States for services in the charge of enforcing criminal laws and exercising the power of arrest for such entity; to provide for related matters; to provide for submission of this amendment for ratification or rejection; and for other purposes.

Referred to Finance Committee.

SR 378. By Senators Jones of the 10th, Harbison of the 15th, Anderson of the 43rd, Davenport of the 44th and McKoon of the 29th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Miss District of Columbia, Cierra Dena'e Jackson; and for other purposes.

Read and Adopted.